

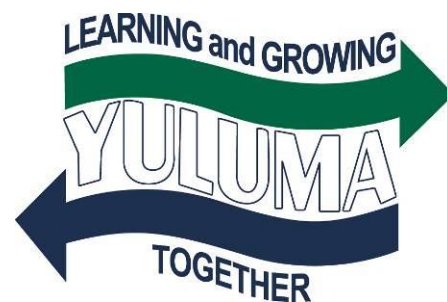
YULUMA PRIMARY SCHOOL

An Independent Public School

Community Newsletter

Issue 4

Wednesday, 17th May 2017



School Details	School Hours	Canteen Days	Yuluma Dental Clinic
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Coming Events

2017 Term 2

May

- 17-22 **Bookfair**
- 19 **Eagles Cup at YPS**
- 22-24 **Life Education Van Incursion**
- 24 **National Simultaneous Storytime**
- 26 **Eagles Cup at YPS**

June

- 02 **Eagles Cup at Newborough**
- 05 **WA Day Public Holiday**
(Students do not attend)
- 08 **Year 1/2 Assembly**
- 13 **Japanese Artist Incursion**
- 20 **Year 3 Firemen Incursion**
- 21 **EduDance Concert**
- 23 **Lightning Carnival Yr 5&6**
- 27 **Reporting to Parents Day**
Students do not attend
- 30 **Last Day of Term 2**

Term Dates

Term 3 2017

Tuesday, 18th July – Friday, 22nd Sept

Staff Development Day
Monday, 17th July

Public Holidays
Monday 5th June
Students do not attend school

Greetings All

This term will be our first semester reports. Reports will be issued on Friday 23rd June. This will give you some time to read, share and congratulate your child on their efforts. Always look for the positive in the work and achievement and build on your child's efforts. The reports will also be available as an electronic version via your CONNECT logon – the access to the teacher's online promotion/communication about the class to parents. If you do not have a connect logon you will need to sign up at the front office by May 31.

Reporting to Parents Meetings

On the **Tuesday 27th June** there is the annual **Reporting to Parents** opportunity to meet with your child's teacher to discuss and clarify your child's report, and develop the shared team approach to helping your child learn. Sign up sheets will be available outside the office (southern side) on a first come first served basis from 12 June. Teachers will offer a range of times. You should speak with your child's teacher to ensure you are able to meet with them, if offered times are not workable.



Congratulations to Year 1 and Pre-primary students on their successful excursion to Landsdale Farm. More later in this edition.

Communication

Communication is one of society's greatest vulnerabilities in these times. We're all Facebooked up, Whatsappped, Instagramatised, Messengered and what not, yet there is still a growing disconnect between people and their true person to person relating. We need to strongly build real relationships with one

another and use the technology as a tool, not an excuse to avoid honest, calm, considered communication. Thank you everyone, for all the real effort that goes into your children, and that joins with our hardworking, clever teachers. As our motto goes; We're learning and growing together.

NAPLAN this year has been all on paper and we have had a smooth progress of the testing regime. In future years there will be a progressive shift toward Online NAPLAN testing. Results from this round will be known later next term.

Surveys

Each year the school takes formal steps to seek your feedback and views. In the week of the Reporting to Parents (23 June – 30 June) I will make available both paper and online surveys. Please take the time to respond to the tick boxes and short answers questions which take about 10 minutes. Each year the school has modified and developed new programs and ideas as a result of the survey. Surveys are anonymous (if you wish) and can be returned to the front counter box, left at a classroom or completed online. It would be fantastic to say that *one lucky respondent goes into the draw for an all expenses overseas holiday* but alas it's a self drive, family excursion to the beach of your choice, redeemable when summer returns! Yes it's all about building the community, the family, and your child's learning at school, by having your say. Thanks again everyone.

Kind regards

Kim Pitts-Hill
Principal

Deputy News

Faction Cross Country – Friday, 19th May

Due to the faction Cross Country being held on Friday there will be NO Running Club.

Our Faction Cross Country will commence at 9.00 on Friday. All students are asked to wear their faction shirt for the event.

We would love the support of about 12 parents to help as both course marshals and at the finishing line. If you are able to help with this please sign up in the front office.

Eagles Cup

Thanks again to Dave Amin who has volunteered to coach our Eagles Cup Soccer teams again this year. We are very fortunate to have Dave generously give up so much time in 2017.

Life Education

Life Education Van will be at our school again **22nd – 24th May**.

The cost for this incursion is \$8.50 per child for Year 1 – 6, \$4.00 per child for Pre-Primary and \$3.00 per child for Kindergarten. Thank you to those families who have already paid. If you have not made payment for this please do so before 22nd May to the front office.

IT Club

Wednesday mornings, selected senior students have been doing some great work with robotics, thanks to Mrs Rennie and Mrs Kaaks for running these classes.

Sandra Barnes
Deputy Principal



LIBRARY NEWS

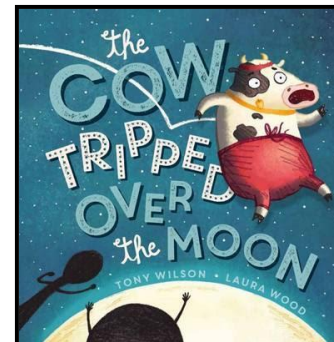
We have an exciting week coming up with our **Book Fair** to commence on **Wednesday 17th May through to end of the day Monday 22nd May**.

Parent helpers will be in the library on these days before and after school to sell some amazing books so come on in and check out our Book Fair and hopefully buy some new books for the children. All family members are welcome to come and browse during these times.

Proceeds from the book sales do benefit our school and provide the students with new books.

Another event celebrating Library and Information Week is the **National Simultaneous Storytime** to be held on **Wednesday 24th May 2017**.

The book to be read to all students this year is "The Cow Tripped Over the Moon" by Tony Wilson.



On display in the library all this term will be the WA Young Readers' Book Award Books. These books are available for the students to borrow and then vote. All votes are counted and sent to the WAYRBA committee with the winning author receiving a trophy. Winning authors love this award as it's the students which the books are written for that, choose the winner!

All our students that vote in this award are in the running for a prize so check out this display and be part of it!

Happy Reading
Mrs Alderton

Pre-Primary News

On Friday May 12th the PP and Year 1 students enjoyed a trip to Landsdale Farm. We explored the vegetable gardens, observed and patted many animals, enjoyed an animal talk from the farmers, and ate billy tea and damper for morning tea.



P&C News

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle

The P&C would like to thank all the helpers, they raised over \$1700 for the day.

Fete News

Yuluma Primary School is turning **20!** To celebrate our 20th Anniversary, the P&C is coordinating a fete to be held on **Saturday, 18th November 2017**.

We will have entertainment and games such as woodworking, bouncy castles and pony rides, a variety of stalls and a selection of food. Seller stalls are available to purchase for small businesses with the immediate Yuluma Primary School community having first preference. After this, the wider community will have the opportunity to purchase a stall.

If you would like to purchase a stall, have any ideas or suggestions or any contacts who may be able to contribute, please contact our fete coordinator Tara Christides on tchristides@live.com.au



OSHClub News

Before School / After School Care Program



Hello Families,

Welcome back to term 2! This term so far has been filled with lots of fun!

We have been looking at Cars, Trains, and preparing to celebrate Mother's Day.

We have been decorating biscuits, playing pretend, playing games together and doing some painting and arts and crafts .

We are heading into winter now, so please remember to pack a warm jumper and a hat for outdoor play.

Also remember that OSHClub is a NUT FREE service.

We look forward to seeing you at OSHCLUB!



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All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.

INVITATION

Paintings by guest artist Gail Dell

COMMUNITY ART EXHIBITION

CHURCHLANDS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
P&C ASSOCIATION

Fri 26th May, Sat 27th May, Sun 28th May 2017

You are invited to the Churchlands Senior High School P&C Association Community Art Exhibition showcasing artworks of excellence by professional, emerging and student artists. Artworks for sale include paintings, drawings, collage, photography, ceramics, glass, jewellery, sculpture and textiles.

When: 5.30pm-7.30pm Fri 26th May 2017
10.00am-4.00pm Sat 27th May and Sun 28th May 2017

Where: Visual Arts Building, Churchlands Senior High School, Memory Place, Churchlands

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